

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/629,577,
entitled "LEAVING A BROADCAST CHANNEL," filed on July 31, 2000 and is related to
U.S. Patent Application No. 09/629,576, entitled "BROADCASTING
NETWORK," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048001 US); U.S. Patent
Application No. 09/629,570, entitled "JOINING A BROADCAST
CHANNEL," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048002 US); U.S. Patent
Application No. 09/629,577, "LEAVING A BROADCAST CHANNEL,"
filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048003 US); U.S. Patent Application
No. 09/629,575, entitled "BROADCASTING ON A BROADCAST
CHANNEL," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048004 US); U.S. Patent
Application No. 09/629,572, entitled "CONTACTING A BROADCAST
CHANNEL," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048005 US); U.S. Patent
Application No. 09/629,023, entitled "DISTRIBUTED AUCTION
SYSTEM," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048006 US); U.S. Patent
Application No. 09/629,043, entitled "AN INFORMATION DELIVERY
SERVICE," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048007 US); U.S. Patent
Application No. 09/629,024, entitled "DISTRIBUTED
CONFERENCING SYSTEM," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048008
US); and U.S. Patent Application No. 09/629,042, entitled

"DISTRIBUTED GAME ENVIRONMENT," filed on July 31, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 030048009 US), the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.